

Table A3. Approximate Heat Content of Petroleum Consumption, Selected Years, 1949-2003
 (Million Btu per Barrel)

Year	Total Petroleum ¹						Liquefied Petroleum Gases	Motor Gasoline		
	End-Use Sectors				Electric Power Sector ²	Total				
	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Transportation						
1949	5.493	5.858	5.946	5.465	6.254	5.649	4.011	5.253		
1950	5.482	5.865	5.940	5.461	6.254	5.649	4.011	5.253		
1955	5.480	5.832	5.867	5.408	6.254	5.591	4.011	5.253		
1960	5.430	5.849	5.800	5.388	6.267	5.555	4.011	5.253		
1965	5.380	5.837	5.728	5.387	6.267	5.532	4.011	5.253		
1970	5.216	5.773	5.603	5.393	6.252	5.503	³ 3.779	5.253		
1971	5.212	5.758	5.598	5.389	6.245	5.504	3.772	5.253		
1972	5.193	5.733	5.563	5.388	6.233	5.500	3.760	5.253		
1973	5.205	5.749	5.569	5.395	6.245	5.515	3.746	5.253		
1974	5.196	5.740	5.538	5.394	6.238	5.504	3.730	5.253		
1975	5.192	5.704	5.527	5.392	6.250	5.494	3.715	5.253		
1976	5.215	5.726	5.536	5.395	6.251	5.504	3.711	5.253		
1977	5.213	5.733	5.554	5.400	6.249	5.518	3.677	5.253		
1978	5.213	5.716	5.554	5.404	6.251	5.519	3.669	5.253		
1979	5.298	5.769	5.419	5.428	6.258	5.494	3.680	5.253		
1980	5.245	5.803	5.374	5.440	6.254	5.479	3.674	5.253		
1981	5.191	5.751	5.312	5.432	6.258	5.448	3.643	5.253		
1982	5.167	5.751	5.263	5.422	6.258	5.415	3.615	5.253		
1983	5.022	5.642	5.275	5.415	6.255	5.406	3.614	5.253		
1984	5.184	5.705	5.223	5.418	6.251	5.395	3.599	5.253		
1985	5.153	5.661	5.215	5.422	6.247	5.387	3.603	5.253		
1986	5.169	5.694	5.283	5.425	6.257	5.418	3.640	5.253		
1987	5.144	5.661	5.248	5.429	6.249	5.403	3.659	5.253		
1988	5.165	5.661	5.241	5.433	6.250	5.410	3.652	5.253		
1989	5.105	5.621	5.234	5.437	² 6.240	5.410	3.683	5.253		
1990	5.027	5.621	5.270	5.442	6.244	5.411	3.625	5.253		
1991	4.968	5.599	5.186	5.440	6.246	5.384	3.614	5.253		
1992	5.004	5.589	5.185	5.442	6.238	5.378	3.624	5.253		
1993	4.975	5.580	5.196	5.436	6.230	5.379	3.606	5.253		
1994	4.983	5.592	5.166	5.424	6.213	5.361	3.635	⁴ 5.230		
1995	4.940	5.554	5.137	5.417	6.188	5.341	3.623	5.215		
1996	4.869	5.498	5.133	5.420	6.195	5.336	3.613	5.216		
1997	4.859	5.459	5.138	5.416	6.199	5.336	3.616	5.213		
1998	4.837	5.446	5.155	5.413	6.210	5.349	3.614	5.212		
1999	4.761	5.369	5.113	5.413	6.205	5.328	3.616	5.211		
2000	4.761	5.394	5.082	5.421	6.189	5.326	3.607	5.210		
2001	4.796	5.403	5.164	5.412	6.199	5.345	3.614	5.210		
2002	RE4.739	RE5.382	RE5.131	RE5.407	R6.173	F5.324	R3.613	5.208		
2003	E4.798	E5.409	E5.171	E5.405	P6.181	P5.341	P3.629	P5.206		

¹ Petroleum products supplied, including natural gas plant liquids and crude oil burned directly as fuel.

² Electricity-only and combined-heat-and-power (CHP) plants within the NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) 22 category whose primary business is to sell electricity, or electricity and heat, to the public. Through 1988, data are for electric utilities only; beginning in 1989, data are for electric utilities and independent power producers.

³ There is a discontinuity in this time series between 1966 and 1967; beginning in 1967, the single constant factor is replaced by a quantity-weighted average of liquefied petroleum gases' major components.

⁴ There is a discontinuity in this time series between 1993 and 1994; beginning in 1994, the single constant factor is replaced by a factor that is a quantity-weighted average of motor gasoline's major components. See Table A1.

R=Revised. P=Preliminary. E=Estimate.

Note: Weighted averages of the products included in each category are calculated by using heat content values shown in Table A1.

Web Page: For data not shown for 1951-1969, see <http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/aer/append.html>.

Sources: See "Thermal Conversion Factor Source Documentation," which follows Table A6.